# SOUTH PRODUCTION NOTES

April 11, 2014 Afternoon Shift

BASF EMPLOYEES
30 Last Recordable
280 Last Lost Time

## #1 MED / Clean for AL 3992:

We have finished the 1708 run and the clean up sheet has been provided. Work notifications written for oil leak at gearbox on the extruder - RAND 4/8/14.

Day shift: Continued the clean up sheet.

Afternoon Shift: Midnight shift:

# #1 RC /Clean for AL 3992:

Screens for D-1708 (.156 x 5/16 OS, .084 x 1/4 fines).

Day shift: No change. Will need to follow clean up sheet.

**Afternoon Shift:** 

Midnight shift: Reversing and bringing calciner down.

#### **Exhaust to Trimer**

## #2 MED line/ Cu-0860:

Work notification on #2 Viron East flow meter still outstanding (RAND 4/7/14). Per the engineer, we can run with low flow on the viron with this product.

Day Shift: Batch that we attempted to run was dry and locked up the extruder. Auger should be pressed out and ready to get from maintenance at the beginning of 2<sup>nd</sup> shift.

**Afternoon Shift:** 

Midnight shift:

# #2 RC/ Cu-0860:

A final inspection and set up of the bag off station is required as well as the screener needing to be assembled. Once done and we have material, we can start to calcine.

Day shift: No change.

Afternoon shift:

Midnight shift:

# #3 MED line / D-0704:

Continue. Get required samples per the MOD. Grease end seals once a shift while mixing.

Day shift: Continued to run and adding wet mix.

**Afternoon Shift:** 

Midnight Shift: Continue on...keep adding wet mix.

#### #3 RC/ D-0704:

Currently feeding. We need to keep track of the weight on the fines drums as they are filled up – need to add the weight to the green sheet. Additionally, and because it is a precious metal base, we need to weigh each bag and record its weight on the log sheet by the scale at the East side of building 31 on the first floor.

Day shift: Continued to feed. Feed rate in the high 300's.

Afternoon Shift: Midnight shift:

#### **Exhaust to CTO**

## Abbe Blender - D-5206:

MOD in the department. All HF supplies are available. Contractor finalized work at Abbe solution discharge pump. If pressure test is successful we can start running during off shifts as the contractors will not be in the way. See Grodecki's e-mail on the last page of the shift notes regarding the raws that we need to use.

Day shift: Lid was re installed. Too much red RTV was being used and not drying. White RTV was used, and a smaller amount.

Afternoon shift: Midnight shift:

## National Dryer / D-5206:

The National Dryer has been soda blasted by the contractor. We need to inspect and verify that it is ready to go and light. The Abbe is slated to start running on afternoon shift Friday.

Day shift:

Afternoon Shift: Waiting for product. Midnight Shift: Waiting for product

#### PK Blender / 1505 and 1506:

Hold the 1 batch that was wet. It will need to be dried back with help from the engineer.

Day shift: No change. Afternoon Shift:

**Midnight Shift:** 

## #5 RC / 1505:

Need to remember that we do not need 5A dust collector running with this product. We need to check the suction twice every shift. Use 120 bags on 1505.

Day shift: Continued to run.

Afternoon shift:

Midnight shift:

#### **Exhaust to Trimer**

## Tower 3 / Cu-1986...Cu 1155 T 3/16x1/8 next:

Tower is loaded and running.

Day shift: Continued on. Tower should come down on  $2^{nd}$  shift and will need to be reloaded with Cu 1155 T 3/16x1/8.

Afternoon shift: Midnight Shift:

## **Tower 6 / Cu-1986:**

Tower is running.

Day shift: Continued on.

Afternoon shift: Midnight Shift:

# North Screener / Cu-1986

Continue. We are going to target Tuesday the 15<sup>th</sup> pending if OCS can be out that week (Kirk to schedule). This will allow for the screeners to finish up the critical tower loads of Cu-1986 for the shipment date and be able to schedule OCS and other contractors needed to complete the installation and tie in with WonderWare. It should take about a shift worth of time to complete.

Day shift: Continued on.

Afternoon Shift: Midnight shift:

#### **South Screener / Cu-1986:**

We are going to target Tuesday the 15th pending if OCS can be out that week (Kirk to schedule). This will allow for the screeners to finish up the critical tower loads of Cu-1986 for the shipment date and be able to schedule OCS and other contractors needed to complete the installation and tie in with WonderWare. It should take about a shift worth of time to complete.

Day shift: Continued on.

Afternoon Shift: Midnight shift:

## Tunnel Kiln #2 / D-0406 (Zinc material off #1 MED):

We are running. Please note that we are not to add material to the top sagger. A note has been added to the MOD. A 2 inch oversize screen was used (M.V. 3/16/14). Continue to monitor Co emissions on the log sheet. There are 4 full bags (including 1 that is hanging, not opened yet) and 1 partial left of EL00038. MOD now states to make that lot all EL00318 D0406 (therefore more than 24 drums) and to make lot EL00039 D0405 its own lot and separate by 1 car in the kiln.

Day shift: Continued on. Loading lot 39 material and unloading lot 38.

**Afternoon Shift:** 

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Midnight shift:

# **Tunnel Kiln #3 / Setting up for Cu Carb test:**

Running second test of Cu Carbonate.

Day shift: Kiln turned up to 375 and to 60 min a car. More test saggers loaded.

Afternoon Shift: Midnight shift:

#### #4 RC / Selexorb:

Calciner is ready to go. We will wait for the Selexsorb to arrive on 4/15/14. WE WILL NOT RUN D-5206 THROUGH THIS CALCINER until after the Selexorb.

Day shift: Dust collector line was inspected and there is nothing in the baghouse or the rotoloc. Ameriwaste is scheduled to come in on Saturday to clean the lines.

Afternoon Shift: No activity. Midnight Shift: No activity

#### **Exhaust to Trimer**

# <u>Harrop Kiln - Al-3921 T 3/16":</u>

Down... saggers have been removed, screener parts at TK#2

Day shift: HOLD

Afternoon shift: HOLD Midnight shift: HOLD

# **New Pfaudler / Celenese Trial**

The Pfaudler has been rinsed but not acid washed. Tentative start update the week of 4-

21.

Day shift: HOLD

Afternoon Shift: HOLD Midnight shift: HOLD

#### #6 RC / D-0754:

Down - Campaign not started yet.

Day Shift: HOLD

Afternoon shift: HOLD Midnight shift: HOLD

Exhaust to

## Old Pfaudler - D-0795 blends:

Need to put the pfaudler back together and begin the blends.

Day Shift: No. Change. The Pfaudler is locked out in the MCC room on the mezzanine.

Afternoon Shift: HOLD Midnight Shift: HOLD

## #2662 (east) Pill Machine / Zr-0403 1/8: Hold

Started to clean up and take apart machines in preparation for Zr material. We will use

only one dust collector. Day Shift: No change.

Afternoon shift: Machine pulled out and started to clean.

Midnight shift: Continue retooling.

# #2664 (west) Pill Machine / Zr-0403 1/8: Hold

Started to clean up and take apart machines in preparation for Zr material. We will use only one dust collector.

Day Shift: No work done.

Afternoon shift:

Midnight shift: After machine was lubricated, operator tried to shut it down but the main motor would not disengage. Then operator noticed a "pop" and smoke appearing from inside the door panel. Power removed from machine...work notification written for electrician to investigate. Possible faulty overload relay.

## Tank 7 / Is Clean:

Steamed and rinsed. Tank toted off and looks good (RAS 4/6/14)

Day shift:

**Afternoon Shift:** 

Midnight Shift: No activity

## HC-11 Tanks:

Acid washed Tanks 4 & 107; all tanks empty with the exception of Tank 2. (RAND - 3/24/14)

Day shift:

Afternoon Shift: No activity Midnight shift: No activity

- 1. D-5206: We are trying to start the Abbe blender, but are having trouble with the seal on the drain. The problem has been that way too much RTV is being used on the gaskets. This causes the gaskets to slide and the RTV never dries. Mike is having someone scrape off the old RTV today and Greg will show them how to put the assembly together. If it doesn't hold tonight, please scrape again and hold until tomorrow. I will stop by and and see if we can figure out what to do.
- 2. Please remember, alternate bags of D-5202 lots 470 and 476 when impregnating the D-5206. 476 has a low surface area and 470 high. Alternating them will average out the surface area. You don't have to do them all at once. The other lots are good.
- 3. D-0795 NP3: The supersacks of 591 DX 1/12 (ICR 512NAQ) are in the warehouse (its one 2100 lb supersack of 591 DX to one 723 lb supersack of D-0795 NAQ per batch). The D-0795 NAQ is on the 3rd floor. Go ahead and start at

your convenience. We have a little breathing room to get this done but not much. If there is a problem, please stop until resolved.

#### Thanks,

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